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Dear Sir:

In response to the Non-Final Office Action of December 29, 2005, having a three-month statutory period for response set to expire on March 29, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins

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